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FM AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2271

INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS IMMEDIATE

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AMEMBASSY LISBON IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY LUSAKA IMMEDIATE

US MISSION USUN NEW YORK IMMEDIATE 1276

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USCINCEUR VAHINGEN GER//DCJ4-7

AMEMBASSY MOSCOW IMMEDIATE

DIA WASHDC IMMEDIATE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L KINSHASA 2214

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MOTS, PFOR, PINS, AEMR, CG, AO

SUBJECT: OPERATION SHABA-BELGIAN MILITARY ASSISTANCE TO ZAIRE

1. AT 2000 ZULU, BABIA INFORMED CZAMISH THAT BELGIANS FAVORABLY CONSIDERED GOZ REQUEST FOR EQUIPMENT. BABIA STATED THAT TWO C130'S CONTAINING APPROX 48 TONS OF MATERIAL WILL DEPART BELGIUM THIS EVENING AND THAT BELGIUM WILL FOLLOW UP WITH 15 MORE C130 FLIGHTS.

2. WHEN QUERIED WHAT ITEMS ON THE BELGIAN LIST THEY WERE BRINGING IN, BABIA STATED THAT BELGIAN AMBASSADOR HAS THIS INFORMATION BUT HAS NOT AS YET TRANSMITTED TO BABIA. BABIA WILL INFORM CZAMISH OF CONTENTS.

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3. CONVERSATION WAS INTERRUPTED BY PHONE CALL FROM BELGIAN AMBASSADOR. HE STATED THAT A CERTAIN COUNTRY (NOTE WOULD NOT GIVE NAME OF COUNTRY) DENIED BELGIAN C130'S OVERFLIGHT RIGHTS AND ACCORDING WILL TAKE THE GOB SOME TIME TO SORT OUT.

GOB FEELS C130'S WILL DEPART BY 14 MARCH.

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